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Amendment dated January 31, 2005
Reply to Office Action of August 6, 2004

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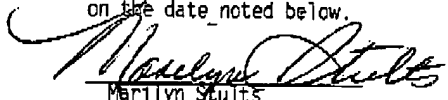
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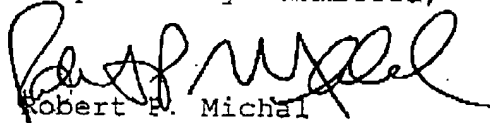
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